

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of	)	
ANTONIO M. G. L. CRUZ	)	
Serial No. 10/559,909	)	Group Art Unit: 3672
Filed December 8, 2005	)	Examiner: Kenneth L. Thompson
PERCUSSIVE DRILL BIT	)	March 17, 2008

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Sir:

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**  
**FOR RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)**

Applicant petitions for a one-month extension of time in accordance with 37 CFR 1.136(a).

Please charge the \$120 fee to Shell Oil Company, Deposit Account No. 19-1800.  
An extra copy of this Petition is enclosed for that purpose.

Respectfully submitted,

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